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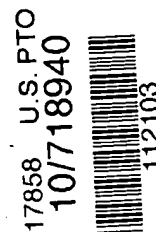
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- ☒ 7 Pages of Claims
- ☒ 6 sheets of drawing (Formal)
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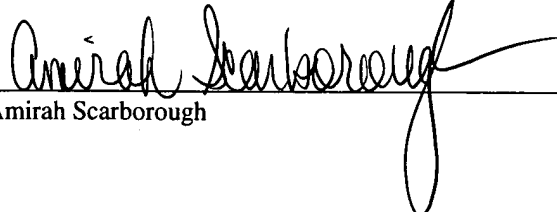
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